



FERNANDO. No. 3703

THE GREAT IMPORTED GERMAN COACH STALLION

FERNANDO

whose registered number is 3703 has recently been purchased for the sum of \$3000.00 by Prof. Nathan Powell. Fernando is a magnificent specimen of the celebrated Oldenburg horse, which has the longest line of pure blood breeding of any horse in the world. The Royal princess established the breed in 1512.

This horse is a deep bay with black points, 16 hands, and weighs 1350 pounds, and was foaled May 4, 1903. He has an exceptionally good disposition, and is an individual of character.

Fernando will stand the coming season at College and Bryan.

The German coach horse is noted for size, action, speed, character, and fixedness of type in breeding. The colts are large, handsome horses with spirit and action, just such a horse as every one needs.



Raise colts like me by breeding to a German Coach Stallion.



My mother was a bronco, my father a German Coach.



Here is my gray mother, my father was a Dutch horse from Germany



My owner was offered \$250 for me; I am one-half Dutch.

Colts at Weaning Time.

These colts are now being raised in a county in Texas. Their mothers are ordinary mares, and their father is an imported German coach horse. There are 81 of them, and you could not buy any one of them at weaning time for less than \$100.00.

For the first time in the history of Brazos county the people now have the opportunity of breeding to the imported German coach horse, Fernando, and of getting colts like these. Now is the time for every wide-awake farmer to supply himself with a stock of the very finest and best horses in the world.

The German coach horse is recognized as the strongest breeder in the world. You know before you breed your mare what kind of a colt you are going to get. The cuts show how every colt is like his father.

Fernando's father, grand-father, and great-grand father, have been first prize winners in their home provinces in Europe, and second prize winners at the great annual horse show at Paris, France. Fernando is truly a Great Stallion.

After March 1st he will be at Tucker's Stable, Bryan, Texas, ready for service.

HARLEY TESTIFIES.

Tells of the Confusion in the Barracks at Brownsville.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Samuel C. Harley, who was acting first sergeant of Company C, Twenty-fifth Infantry, when the shooting occurred at Brownsville, Tex., on the night of Aug. 13, 1906, testified before the senate committee on military affairs as to the confusion in the barracks of that company and the breaking of the gun racks on that night. He said that he was awakened by the confusion and the firing of guns after the call to arms had been sounded, and that he issued orders to the men to get their arms until he had consulted with Lieutenant Greer. He told of hearing later the pounding on the barracks, and noting at the time that they were sent for repairs because of the damage that had been done to them.

Concerning the ammunition in the possession of members of Company C, of which Corporal Madison had previously testified, he said that he heard one of the non-commissioned officers say the men might as well have clubs as rifles on account of the character of their ammunition. The cartridges, it was said, were of the reduced range type and ineffective. It was brought out that that was the only kind of ammunition in the hands of Company C.

When called after the call to arms, and the shooting was nearly over.

Although the firing had almost ceased when Harley reached the parade grounds, he said that he had heard the whistle of one bullet over his head, and that he was of the opinion that it was fired from a Winchester.

When questioned sharply by Senator Warner as to why he did not tell of the broken racks and the whistling bullet when he was before Colonel Leavelle on the previous inquiry conducted under orders of the secretary of war, Harley asserted that he was instructed only to answer questions, and he was not asked about either of these facts. He discussed the treatment of soldiers by citizens of Brownsville, and told of one man being knocked down because it was said he passed between two white women on the street. He said that if the man had done this he merited punishment.

NOT ARRAIGNED.

Favrot's Attorneys File Motion to Quash the Indictment.

Baton Rouge, Feb. 15.—Congressman-elect George K. Favrot, recently indicted on a charge of murder for the shooting of Dr. Harry K. Aldrich, a prominent physician of this city, in November last, was not arraigned for pleading Thursday. Instead, his at-

torneys, Kernan and Seate, filed a motion to quash the indictment.

The grounds advanced for quashing are: First, that the grand jury which indicted Mr. Favrot was ordered by the district court at its October adjournment to meet Nov. 12, 1906; that the jury did not meet on that date, and thereafter the body ceased to be a grand jury because of its failure to meet as directed by the court.

Second, that J. A. Shaffett, a member of the grand jury which returned the indictment, can neither read nor write.

Saturday, Feb. 16 was fixed as the date for arguing the motion. Mr. Favrot was not brought into court.

Governor Blanchard directed State Attorney General Gulon, who is at New Orleans, to come to Baton Rouge to assist in the prosecution of Favrot. The governor acted after a conference with District Attorney Wax, who has charge of the prosecution.

PINE BLUFF BLAZE.

Nearly One Thousand Homeless Persons and Two Fatalities.

Pine Bluff, Ark., Feb. 15.—Notwithstanding many wild rumors in regard to the loss of life as a result of the fire which destroyed ninety cottages and residences, three hotels, the Carr Memorial church and fully 300 barns

and outhouses containing a loss of \$250,000, so far as can be learned, only two persons lost their lives. They were John Springer, a foreman in the Cotton Belt yards, who was run down and killed while carrying furniture from a cottage which afterwards burned, and a man named Reed, who is said to have gone into a burning building, and has not been seen since. Nearly 1,000 persons, including 150 families, are homeless, and many are without clothing other than they wore at the time of the conflagration.

Favorable Report.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The senate committee on immigration has decided to report favorably Senator Culberson's bill appropriating \$75,000 for the establishment of an immigration station at Galveston.

One Killed, Four Injured.

Freeport, Ill., Feb. 14.—A Ultsburg merchant was killed and four persons injured in a wreck on the Chicago Great Western railway at Pearl City. It is said two stock trains collided.

Fifteen a Minute.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The senate Wednesday night broke all records by passing 991 bills at the rate of fifteen a minute for one hour and six minutes.

IMMENSE SHORTAGE.

Missing Treasurer Alleged to Have Taken Many Securities.

New Britain, Conn., Feb. 14.—More than \$500,000 worth of securities were taken from the vaults of the Savings Bank of New Britain by the missing treasurer, William F. Walker, according to a statement issued by the board of directors of the institution Wednesday following the examination of the collateral in the bank by State Bank Commissioners Kendall and Noble. There is left a surplus of about \$145,000 over and above the amount due to depositors, the actual shortage being \$565,000. The directors believe the greater part of the securities will be recovered.

As the bank commissioners were preparing a statement to give to the directors, Mayor George M. Landers sent a letter to Governor Woodruff asking that Commissioner Kendall be removed from office on the ground of negligence of duty and incompetency. He pointed out in this letter that when Mr. Kendall began an examination of the affairs of the bank last Thursday, Treasurer Walker, on a pretext of illness, left the bank and Commissioner Kendall did not continue his work, but returned home to await Walker's convenience. Knowing at the time that Walker was a notorious gambler and a notorious debtor, the directors believe that Walker did not return that day.

Dr. J. F. Eaves
Physician and Surgeon
Office, Upstairs in Smith Building
Office and Residence Phone 153.

Office over Carson, Sewall & Company
PHONE No. 136
INSURANCE
Live Stock Life
Plate Glass Fire Accident
W. A. WATKINS, Bryan, Texas

Why Gather Own Statistics?
Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 14.—The state senate passed a bill appropriating \$2,000 to be used in gathering statistics of cotton raised in Alabama in lieu of the statistics gathered by the government. The work will be done under the direction of the state department of agriculture. The bill was passed by a vote of 15 to 10.